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Gathering Reliable Information

Graphic Organizer

Finding Reliable Sources

Reliable means **trustworthy**.

If you get your information from an unreliable source, your work will be untrustworthy or inaccurate. When conducting research, you MUST know the difference between reliable and unreliable sources.

- Usually, websites with these endings are reliable: **.edu .gov .org**
- Websites ending in **.com .net** need to be examined carefully, since anyone can make a website ending with these.

TIP: Always look for the author or publisher of the website. Do they seem like they are reliable? Or are they just a random person putting their ideas onto a website?

MY RESEARCH TOPIC/QUESTION
TITLE OF SOURCE
PUBLICATION INFORMATION (AUTHOR, YEAR, PUBLISHER)
SUMMARY OF SOURCE

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FROM SOURCE (AT LEAST 5)

These are the **3 most important things** I discovered about my topic while researching:

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